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TAGS: OVIP (BLUMENTHAL, W. MICHAEL)

SUBJECT:NOVEMBER TRIP TO MIDDLE EAST

1. TREASURY HAS INFORMED DEPARTMENT SECRETARY BLUMENTHAL
PLANS TO VISIT MIDDLE EAST IN NOVEMBER.

2. ITINERARY WOULD BE AS FOLLOWS: (ALL TIMES LOCAL)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16 - 0900 LV ANDREWS AFB
2210 AR PARIS

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17 - 0900 LV PARIS
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1730 AR RIYADH, S.A.
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18 - RIYADH
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19 - 1400 LV RIYADH
1630 AR ABU DHABI
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20 - 1200 LV ABU DHABI
1340 AR TEHRAN
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21 - 1300 LV TEHRAN

1345 AR KUWAIT

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 22- 1200 LV KUWAIT

1630 AR LONDON

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23 - 1300 LV LONDON

1550 AR ANDREWS AFB

3. AS IN PREVIOUS TRIP TO THIS AREA, SECRETARY BLUMENTHAL WOULD COME PREPARED TO DISCUSS BOTH BILATERAL AND INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL ISSUES AND DEVELOPMENTS. STOP IN SAUDI ARABIA IS SPECIFICALLY TO ATTEND ANNUAL MEETING OF U.S.-SAUDI JOINT ECONOMIC COMMISSION.

4. ACTION ADDRESSEES SHOULD ASCERTAIN FROM HOST GOVERNMENTS IF INDICATED DATES FOR VISITING WOULD BE AGREEABLE.

5. FOR PARIS AND LONDON: SECRETARY DOES NOT ANTICIPATE PARTICIPATING IN ANY ACTIVITIES IN PARIS OR LONDON; THESE STOPS ARE FOR REFUELING AND OVERNIGHT.

6. ADMIN CABLE WILL FOLLOW. CHRISTOPHER

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